

Claim 6, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 8, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 9, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 11, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 13, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 14, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 15, line 1, change "one of the preceding claims" to  
--claim 1--.

Claim 16, line 1, change "one of the claims 1 to 15" to  
--claim 15--.